

REMARKS

This amendment is necessary to cancel claim 1-10 and 15-25 and to add new claims 26-31. The retained original and new claims are directed to the non-elected subject matter in applicants' parent application Serial No. 09/346,276.

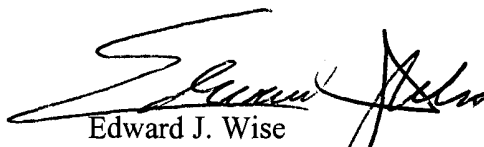
In addition, the amendment reflects the amendment made to the specification and drawing figures 2, 9 and 24 as made in the parent application.

Entry of the amendment is respectfully requested.

Attachments: 3 replacement drawing sheets (Figs. 2, 9 and 24)

Respectfully submitted,

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